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## STATE CONVENTION

County Chairman Frazee Receives Official Call

Rush County has Thirteen Delegates—All Have Been Selected.

County Chairman Charles Frazee yesterday received the official call for the State convention from the State committee.

The call is made for April 26th and 27th and it has been arranged to meet at 2 p. m., Tuesday and transact all the business except the nomination of the candidates. On Wednesday at 9 a. m. the convention will reassemble and proceed to nominate the ticket.

The convention will adopt a state platform, select four delegates and four alternates to the national convention, two electors at large and the following candidates for State offices: Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State, Reporter of the Supreme Court, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and two Judges of the Supreme Court. There will be 1488 delegates in this convention, Rush county having but thirteen.

The delegates from the Sixth district will meet at the State house in room 70, on the second floor at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, where they will select a member for each of the committees. Delegates from Rush county are selected and quite a number will accompany them to the convention. Hon. James E. Watson, of this city, will make the keynote speech, having been decided upon as the permanent chairman of the convention.

## WHAT THE TOWN PEOPLE SAY

In speaking of the feasibility or liability of the different townships that have candidates splitting their delegations even because they happened to have a candidate, was the theme of conversation at a small gathering of Republicans, yesterday and they agreed that that day was almost past, one of them saying "They ought to do like they did when I ran. They voted as they pleased that time. My friends in the township secured the passage of a resolution in the township convention, giving me the power to select the delegates, which I did. I selected 12 men that I knew were for me, and they voted their sentiments—I got seven."

### About The Shamrock.

Speaking of the origin of St. Patrick's day and the shamrock and their connection, the New Castle Courier says:

"St. Patrick was the patron saint of Ireland and all good Irishmen verily believe that he rid the 'Emerald Isle' of snakes."

The origin of the shamrock as the badge of the islanders is explained as follows: When St. Patrick first preached the Christian faith in Ireland to a powerful chief and his people, a spirit of the Trinity as "Three-in-One," the chief asked how three could be in one. St. Patrick thinking of a simple example to best explain the faith to a simple people, stooped to the earth and plucked from the green sod a shamrock. Holding up the trefoil before him he bade them there to behold three in one.

March 17th was set aside as St. Patrick's Day. The Shamrock is the symbol of "Three-in-One." In the cities the people generally celebrated with parades, races and speeches."

Jury Failed to Agree.  
Kansas City, Mo., March 18.—The jury in the case of State Senator Jesse L. Jewell, on trial on charge of soliciting a bribe of \$2,000 to influence his vote and that of two other members of the legislature to repeal a baking powder bill, disagreed last evening and was discharged.

Large numbers of ready-made cottages are being shipped to the Amazon from New York.

## SPLENDID PROGRAM.

Rendered at the High School Building—Special Exercises This Afternoon.

An excellent program, consisting of twelve literary, musical and theatrical numbers, was rendered at the High School building this afternoon. The program was interesting and entertaining from beginning to end and was very acceptable to those present.

The program was originated and the pupils were trained by Prof. A. F. Stewart and the evening's exercises speak well of his ability in work of that kind. Many visitors were present and were well pleased with the exercises. The vocal solo by Miss Ruth Tevis was very fine, as were the piano solos by Misses Eitel Stevens and Olive Buell. Eugene Miller sang a comic Irish song, entitled "Billy Megee," which was good, and the selection by the Boys' Mandolin club was pronounced by all quite a treat. The club surprised their friends by their musical ability which speaks well for Mr. Orin Ferguson, who is their director. The club has fourteen members, but only seven played during the exercises, it being impossible for the other seven to take part. The entire program was good, especially so was the last number, a farce, entitled "Mickey Free." Mr. Dooley was also present and to Mr. Hinesey gave his opinion of the High School. The program was as follows:

Piano solo—"The Sailor Boy's Dream," Olive Buell.  
Paper—"St. Patrick," Carrie Lambert.  
Recitation—"The Town Karntel," Edith Holden.  
Vocal solo—"Pretty Girl Milking her Cow," Ruth Tevis.  
"Daniel O'Connell on Ireland," Birney Spradling.  
"Mr. Dooley on the High School," Dooley—Will McGuire; Hinesey—Ralph Edgerton.

Selection—"Regal March," Mandolin Club.  
Recitation—"Battle of Beal and Duine," Lillian Fleehart.  
Piano solo—"Moonlight on the Hudson," Ethel Stevens.  
Paper—"Peasant Life in Ireland," Hazel Carr.  
Vocal Solo—"Billy Megee," Eugene Miller.  
Farce—"Mickey Free," Mr. Grimes, a retired merchant, Claude Simpson; Mickey Free, lately imported, Lewis Frazee; Western Union Telegraph Messengers, Will Behout, Allen Hiner, Sam Anderson.

## MOVING MACHINERY

Coil Hoop Factory to be Taken to Missouri.

Col. A. W. Frank is in the city and is superintending the work of taking the machinery out of the coil hoop factory in the west part of town and loading it upon the cars preparatory to taking it to southwestern Missouri, where it will be located.

Scarcity of timber is the cause of this factory's removal from this city. Elm is the kind of timber used for the manufacture of hoops. The work of removing the machinery will take several weeks.

## Suggestion for The Table

FOR SATURDAY		
BREAKFAST		
Gluten Grits.	Sugar and Cream.	Fruit.
Broiled Tripe.	Lyonnise Potatoes.	
Steamed Bread.	Coffee.	
LUNCHEON		
Corn Chowder.	Cole Slaw.	
Cake.	Tea.	
DINNER		
Cream of Asparagus Soup.	Boiled Potatoes.	
Corned Beef.	Savory Cabbage.	
	Apple and Nut Salad.	
Wafers.	Cheese.	
German Peach Cake.	Coffee.	

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## PORTRAIT OF THE WORLD, DRAWN FROM TELEGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION.



—Chicago Tribune.

## EASTER FLOWERS

Florist Moore Preparing for General Demand.

Flowers Are Very Fine and he Has Many Varieties of Desirable Ones.

A visit to the green house of Mr. Moore, Rushville's florist, is a rare treat. Flowers of the richest variety, elegantly arranged and carefully cultivated greet you, and make you, for a moment, at least, a worshiper of nature, and of the beautiful flowers it brings forth.

Roses of numerous varieties are grown there, a beautiful pink tinted rose called the "Golden Gate," the "Bride," a white rose and the "Bridalmaid," a pink one are the prevailing kinds to be seen there, and they show unmistakable evidence of good care and skilled culture.

Then there are the carnations, the finest ever grown in this city and in almost every color in which they have been successfully grown, the pink, red and white, however prevail here.

Hyacinths, tulips, daffodils and easter lilies are grown in great profusion and are especially popular at the Easter season of the year.

Mr. Moore, like all other florists, is now making preparations for the Easter rush. Flowers for Easter are not only a pleasure and a delight, but are appropriate and a reminder of things great and good, appealing to the sentiment, and our better natures.

The demand for carnations, dealers say, is nearly unprecedented. The supply is good, and the demand will be met, leaving sufficient to furnish the local market with all the varieties of the flower.

Calls for roses are also being received. The plants were "cut back" and rooted after the Christmas season. When these young plants are of sufficient age they will be sold by the thousands throughout the country.

After the heavy sales of cut roses during the Christmas season, the florists find it more profitable to propagate new roses than to continue to sell cut flowers.

## Joseph D. Pleak Killed.

Joseph Dawson Pleak, aged 81 years, was struck by a passenger train and was instantly killed while crossing the railroad track in Adams on Wednesday night, on his way to church to hear the farewell sermon of Rev. John Huckleberry, pastor of the Baptist church in that place. He was the father of Ex-Auditor Pleak, of Decatur county and was well known in this part of the State. He was also a brother of Mrs. Emma Coleman, of this city. Mrs. Coleman will leave this evening for Greensburg to attend the funeral which will be held at the Baptist church at Adams.

## WORN OUT AND DISGUSTED

Otho Williams Seeks Other Fields for Labor.

After a desperate fight to inject some new life into Richmond, Otho Williams, run down, worn out and disgusted, has gone to the Southwest to recover his health. Along this line, the Richmond Sun-Telegraph has the following to say:

"The land association, which was to boom Richmond, of which the Rev. Otho Williams, of New Castle was the head, seems to have died out for good, and all that can be learned of the matter is that it is resting. This is interpreted to mean that the boom as far as practical results are concerned, is dead, and that the city is to wait a few years before it can experience the beneficial results of a scheme that made New Castle quite a city."

Mr. Williams, the promoter of the plan, is now in New Mexico, and it is not known when he will return. Of the stock which he was to dispose of, not a dollar's worth was taken. The project seemed a little too big for the conservatism of the business men and from the start met with little encouragement.—Ex.

## AGAINST INDIANAPOLIS

Outside Cities Combined to Elect Miss Hill.

Miss Lulu Hill, of Greenfield, but formerly of Carthage, this county, has a fine chance to be selected to christen the steamer Indianapolis, she being in the lead in the contest outside of Indianapolis, now on, for that honor in the Indianapolis Star.

An agreement was made a short time ago between the leading candidates outside of Indianapolis, that the one in the lead on a certain date should get the united support of the others. Miss Hill was the lucky one, and is daily receiving support from all sections of the State, and will probably secure this honor.

All subscribers for the Star should cut the coupon from their paper and give it to the newsboy, properly filled out the next morning. In this manner she will receive a large number of votes out of this city each day.

## In Mrs. Dye's Favor.

Des Moines, Ia., March 18.—By means of a powerful magnifying glass it was discovered that the box of poisoned candy sent to Miss Rena Nelson, at Pierre, S. D., does not bear the Boone postmark. The postmark on the package is of the straight line series while that of the Boone office is irregular. The discovery will have a tendency to prove the innocence of Mrs. Sherman Dye, who has been accused of sending the poisoned package.

Colombia Becoming Reconciled.  
Colon, March 18.—According to news received from the coast it is rumored that Colombia has given up the idea of invading Panama.

## THE WARY SLAV

Russians Retreating Before Japanese Advance in Korea.

Constant Succession of Japanese Transports Landing Troops.

Seoul, March 18.—The Japanese authorities have been advised that the Russian cavalry in Northern Korea has partly recrossed the Yalu river and that a Cossack battery has also withdrawn. A small Russian force still occupies Chong Ju.

St. Petersburg, March 18.—Gen. Kuropatkin telegraphs that he has passed Omsk, and he adds that tomorrow there will be 230,000 Russian troops concentrated between Harbin and Port Arthur.

Tokio, March 18.—The Russian and Japanese scouts are now separated only by the river Ching Cheng just north of Anju.

London, March 18.—A correspondent at Che Foo, who has just visited Chinampa, Korea, says: "On the way to Chemulpo we passed a constant succession of Japanese transports. Three thousand Japanese landed at Chemulpo at the end of last week." The correspondent adds that the Russians are retreating across the Yalu river before the advance of the Japanese outpost and that their forces in this district number 20,000.

A Wei Hai Wei correspondent learns that Viscount Acke, formerly Japanese minister to Germany, is going to Seoul to establish practically a Japanese administration for Korea.

Under date of March 17 a Che Foo correspondent reports that provision trains are arriving hourly at Port Arthur, the railroad being intact. A Tokio correspondent, cabling March 17 asserts that the Russian fleet has returned to Port Arthur. If this is correct, the correspondent adds, it is evident from Rear Admiral Baron Von Stackelberg's report that the Russian cruisers which left Vladivostok returned to that port without an attempt having been made to unite the fleets, or if an attempt was made it was unsuccessful.

A Che Foo correspondent cabling under yesterday's date asserts that a portion of the Russian fleet made several cruises within a radius of fifty miles of Port Arthur without finding any trace of the enemy.

The foregoing dispatches are the only additional items of news appearing in the London newspapers today with the exception of vague rumors of alleged movements of the opposing forces in the vicinity of the Yalu river. It is stated that the Russians are again negotiating for the purchase of Welsh coal and it is reported from Hamburg that Russia is trying to place contracts with German ship yards for several new torpedo boat destroyers to be delivered this year. According to a dispatch from Antwerp Russia has acquired twenty large Antwerp transport steamers and has insured each of them for \$250,000.

## News of Port Arthur Fleet.

Washington, March 18.—A cablegram received at the Japanese legation last night from the Japanese consul at Shanghai says that the captain of a Norwegian vessel which had arrived there from Port Arthur reports that the Russian fleet left Port Arthur on the morning of March 12, but returned the same evening.

## For Military Needs.

Seoul, March 18.—Five thousand engineers are now employed in the building of the military railroad from Seoul to Wiju. Only a few miles have been completed. Civilians are working on the road from Seoul to Fusan. This road cannot be completed before next October.

## Denial Reiterated.

St. Petersburg, March 18.—A diplomatic agent of Viceroy Alexieff at Port Arthur reiterates the denial of the report that Port Arthur has been abandoned.

Colombia, exclusive of Panama, is as large as the States of California and Texas combined. Three high mountain ranges cross the republic from north to south, making high table lands between where the days the year round are scarcely hotter than those of a temperate zone.

## SPECIAL TRAIN

Passed Through This City on the Pennsylvania.

A special train passed through this city about 11:30 this morning, bearing the remains and funeral party of Charles Murray, who died at Columbus, Ind., on Monday last. Services were held at 9:30 o'clock this morning at St. Bartholomew's church, Columbus. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. A. Oster. At the conclusion of these services the body was put on a special train, furnished by the Pennsylvania lines as a mark of tribute to the memory of a faithful employee, and taken to Richmond for burial. The body was escorted by a large number of Columbus railroad men. The body on arrival there was taken from the Pennsylvania station to St. Mary's church, where further brief services were held, at the conclusion of which the body was taken to St. Mary's cemetery for burial.

A large delegation composed of Modern Woodmen, of which order Mr. Murray was a prominent member, and also local railroad men, met the special at the Richmond station.

## DEATHS.

Mrs. Joel Smith, of Milroy, died this morning at 5 a. m., in that little city at an age of 67, and will be buried Monday at that place. She belonged to the U. P. church and was a sister to Col. E. H. Wolfe, of this city.

Mrs. Schuck, of Manilla died this morning at 7 o'clock, after a lengthy illness. She and her husband have both been ill for some time and the husband now lies very low. The funeral services have not been decided upon owing to the illness of Mr. Schuck, but will be held some time, Monday.

William Morris, aged 84, died at the residence of John Smith in Noble township, of a complication of diseases. He had lived in this county a number of years, and leaves three daughters and two sons. He will be buried at East Hill tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. W. W. Sniff will conduct the services.

## PROPOSITION CARRIED

It is Now—Pretty Clear That Miners Will Not Strike.

Indianapolis, March 18.—That all danger of a strike by the members of the United Mine Workers of America is past is seemingly accepted by the national officers of the organization, who are now speculating on the majority by which the decision not to strike was reached. Considerable interest is centered on the counting of the vote. It is thought that the count will occupy nearly two days, and it is announced that the tellers will say nothing as to the result of the count until the count is completed. From the latest information that has been received, and from what has been said by officers of various districts, it now seems probable that the proposition of the operators will be accepted by a majority of about 20 per cent of the whole vote cast. There seems to be no doubt that the proposition has carried in all of the states with the exception of Illinois and Iowa, and they are still somewhat uncertain.

## No Spring Election in Ohio.

Columbus, O., March 18.—There will be no municipal elections in Ohio this spring. Gov. Herrick has signed the Chapman bill abolishing spring elections and it is now a law. The terms of all elective municipal officers, which would have expired in April, have been extended until after the elections next November.

## THE WEATHER.



Threatening tonight and Saturday. Warmer south portion Saturday.



E. R. Churchill Walter M. Pearce John E. Hume

## A NEW FIRM

We wish to announce to the people of Rushville and Rush county, that the firm of Churchill & Poundstone has been succeeded by The Home Furnishing Co., a new organization that intends carrying on the same business as the old firm.

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### Notice Township Delegation.

The township delegations will meet at 9 o'clock a. m. on Saturday, March 19th, 1904, for consultation and organization at the following places to-wit: Ripley township—County Commissioners' room.

Posey and Jackson townships—Auditor's office.

Walker and Orange townships—at the Recorder's office.

Anderson and Richland townships—at the Sheriff's office. Rushville township—at the Assembly room.

Noble township—at the Clerk's office.

Union township at the Treasurer's office.

Center and Washington townships—at the County Superintendent's office.

The convention proper will be held at the city opera house and will be called to order at 10 o'clock a. m., and the preliminary work of appointing committees and nominating candidates to be balloted for will be done before adjournment for dinner.

CHARLES FRAZEE, Chairman.  
WILL McCOLGIN, Sec'y.

### Republican City Convention.

The Republicans of Rushville City will meet at the court house Wednesday, March 24th, 1904, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting two committeemen in each ward; also to select delegates to city convention, to be held at the opera house, Thursday, March 31st, 1904, at 7:30 p. m. The apportionment of delegates is as follows:

First Ward meets in the Assembly room, and is entitled to 22 delegates.  
Second Ward meets in the County Superintendent's room and is entitled to 20 delegates.

Third Ward meets in the Sheriff's office and is entitled to 24 delegates.

The city officers to be selected on March 31st, 1904, are: Mayor, Treasurer, Clerk, Marshal. By order of  
J. M. STEVENS,  
GRANT GREGG,  
G. R. KELLEY,  
Committee.

### Korean Diplomat's Suicide.

Berlin, March 18.—Huei Sik Hong, secretary of the Korean legation here, committed suicide by shooting. He was engaged to an actress. The actress attended the funeral and laid a wreath on the coffin with the inscription: "We shall meet again soon."

### Chicago Snow-Bound.

Chicago, March 18.—In a furious snow storm yesterday enough snow fell to make the total for the winter more than break all previous records in Chicago. The season several weeks ago was officially declared the coldest ever known here.

### Rudolph Pleads Not Guilty.

Union, Mo., March 18.—William Rudolph, charged with the murder of Detective Schumaker, thirteen months ago, was formally arraigned in the circuit court and entered a plea of not guilty. The trial was set for tomorrow.

When in doubt, read the Republican

After you've shot off your rocket, don't play with the stick, but start something else.

All the candidates are on the tiptoe of expectancy, lest the convention in its deliberations, tomorrow, might select the other fellow.

President Roosevelt will not be at St. Louis at the opening of the Exposition, and may not attend at all. While his reasons for not attending are not known, in view of what happened to the last President who attended a fair, we think Mr. Roosevelt is acting wisely in the matter.

General Miles is quoted as saying he "would like no better, close to my public career than the presidential nomination at the hands of the Prohibition party." There must be a mistake, however, in the interview. He must have said "quicker" instead of "better."—Richmond Item.

Washington, March 18.—With the paraphernalia for playing Jai Alai, a game which figures conspicuously in the contest against the confirmation of Gen. Leonard Wood to be major general, the members of the United States senate amused themselves for more than an hour yesterday afternoon, protected from the gaze of publicity by the closed doors of the executive session. A lively interest was manifested in the game. It was stated by members of the committee that the game will be introduced at the St. Louis exposition. Senators Proctor, Cockrell, Quarles, Foraker, Teller, Scott, Pettus, Blackburn and others who participated in the hearings before the military affairs committee where the game was explained by experts, were the exponents of Jai Alai. Senators Cockrell and Foraker, who have paid extensive visits to Cuba while the "pelota" season was at its height, explained that the gambling features of the game are not essential to its adoption by the Cubans, while Senators Blackburn, Scott and Teller contended that without the betting privileges the Jai Alai company would not have made application to Gen. Wood for the concession to erect a building as headquarters for the game. The spectacle of senators clapping the basket racquets in their hands and gesticulating in their efforts to illustrate the manner of throwing the "pelota" ball in real play was so unusual that it came nearer holding a quorum than have any of the fiery speeches that have been made for or against Wood's confirmation.

After the executive session had adjourned a group of senators gathered in the middle of the chamber and Senator Blackburn read from the printed testimony given in the Wood hearing to prove that the game is devoted almost wholly to gambling and that Gen. Wood knew this fact when he granted the franchise to the company. The demonstration of Jai Alai came in the last hour of the session and through it all ran a discussion of the game in which many senators participated. Gen. Wood's defenders scored a point when Senator Patterson admitted that he had spent a day studying the testimony in relating to the game and had come to the conclusion that it contained nothing detrimental to Gen. Wood's conduct and no reason for opposition to his confirmation.

### Suicide to Music.

Omaha, Neb., March 18.—Asking his wife to play the piano for him, and while she did so, Maj. W. H. Bean, chief of the commissary department of Missouri, sent a bullet crashing into his brain at their home dying instantly. The only cause assigned for the act is bad health.

### Rejected Lover's Awful Deed.

Nemaha, Neb., March 18.—David Carroll, aged thirty years, shot and killed Annie Maxwell, a sixteen-year-old girl and then killed himself. Carroll is said to have been a rejected suitor of Miss Maxwell.

## BIG RUMPUS THREATENED

### Indiana Democrats Will Not Stand for Taggart's Dictation.

Indianapolis, March 18.—The stories coming from Washington that T. Taggart, the smiling and successful party leader, Chairman O'Brien, Vice-Chairman Fanning and a few others of that Democratic crowd, have agreed to turn the Hoosier delegation over to Judge Parker for president, is causing a big rumpus among the Democrats of the state. Very naturally such a report at such a time as this would cause a lot of talk, as it would seem that an organized movement is under way to do something. Taggart, Fanning and O'Brien have branded the report as false, but nevertheless the politicians here have a sneaking suspicion that there was something big in the wind when they were down East. The question that now arises is whether or not Taggart and his friends, with all their well known ability as good, shrewd manipulators, will be powerful enough to carry out an agreement like the one they are said to have made. The general impression here is that if they say the delegation is to be instructed that it will be, for in 1902 they were powerful enough to keep any mention of Bryan's name or his platform from the state convention.

Is Wm. Randolph Hearst about to make an open bid for the Indiana delegation to the Democratic national convention? The question has been asked on all sides during the last twenty-four hours because of the report that Secretary Walsh of the Democratic national committee, R. S. Johnson the Kansas member, and Charles F. S. Neal formerly a well known Indiana Democrat, had been here for the purpose of canvassing the situation. Walsh admitted that they were looking after Hearst's interests and that headquarters will probably be opened, but just who will be in charge is a matter of speculation as no Indiana Democrats of prominence have been identified with the Hearst movement. If Hearst should come into the open with a bid for the Indiana delegation he would "stir the animals" up as they haven't been stirred in recent years. It is predicted even now that such action on his part would result in a very hot fight in which the odds would be very largely against him, as it is generally understood that Taggart and his crowd don't like him as presidential timber and that they have made up their minds that he shall not have the Indiana delegation.

Chairman Harry B. Smith has broken a precedent here by issuing a call for the selection of delegates to the Republican state convention from the out townships on April 1, nearly a month before the convention meets. It has been the custom here for several years not to select the delegates until the night before the convention. Candidates from other counties have always complained that this rule did not give them a fair chance here inasmuch as the Indianapolis candidates have always had a chance to go into the other counties for delegates. The local candidates always have more or less trouble lining up their county as there are so many elements of population so they have taken advantage of the precedent not to select until the night before the convention thereby preventing outsiders from tampering with their slates. It is not known that W. L. Taylor, the Indianapolis candidate for governor, is angry over Smith's action, as he is confident he will have a solid delegation in any event but his friends would have been more satisfied if the old rule had been adhered to.

An early decision is expected in the suits to test the constitutionality of the legislative reapportionment act. The appeals from the decisions in Boone, Dearborn and Ripley counties are now before the supreme court and an effort will be made to have them taken up at once. The supreme court can't be rushed, but in party matters of such importance it is quite likely that it will give it the right-of-way. Both parties are anxious to have the matter settled so there will be no confusion about making nominations. It is expected now that there will be a decision by the middle of May. Addison C. Harris, former minister to Austria, and Frank L. Littleton of this city, former speaker of the house, will represent the Republicans. Alonzo Greene Smith, S. M. Ralston and several other well known Democratic attorneys will appear on behalf of the Democratic state committee which instituted the proceedings.

## DIVIDES RESPONSIBILITY

Gen. Bristow Says He Prepared Only Part of Postoffice Report.

Washington, March 18.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow in testifying before the house special committee on the postoffice report claimed for himself responsibility for only the first seven pages of the report which was sent to the postoffice committee and said the other portions of the document were the work of other officials of the department.

The clerk hire section he said was prepared in the office of the first assistant postmaster general and that part relating to leases by inspectors and others in his own department.

Mr. Bristow's testimony threw considerable light on all phases of the inquiry. He practically cleared members of congress from wrong doing touching the clerk hire section of the report by stating that it was the duty of the first assistant's office to ascertain the condition of the work in an office where an increase had been recommended.

### Protected by Limitation.

St. Louis, Mo., March 18.—The statute of limitations expired yesterday on all bribery offenses committed during the 1901 session of the Missouri legislature, and there can be no prosecution of legislators who have not been indicted during the three years just ended. The cases of Senators Frank H. Farris, Charles H. Smith and Buel Matthews, who were indicted on charges of bribery, are yet to be tried.

### Didn't Heed Warning.

Laporte, Ind., March 18.—Adam Huffman, of this city, was struck by a fast Lake Shore train and received injuries which caused his death, several hours later. The theory of suicide is advanced from the fact that Huffman stood in the center of the track, after he had been warned, making no effort to escape as the train bore down upon him.

## MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices for Grain and Live-stock on March 17.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.00; No. 2 red, firmer, \$1.01. Corn—Quiet, No. 2 mixed, 44¢. Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 42¢. Hay—Clover, \$8.00, timothy, \$11.00; millet, \$5.00. Cattle—Steady at \$4.00 to \$5.15. Hogs—Strong at \$4.00 to \$5.00. Sheep—Steady at \$3.75. Lambs—Steady at \$5.50 to \$5.75. At Cincinnati.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, \$1.05. Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 48¢. Oats—Easy; No. 2 mixed, 43¢. Cattle—Steady at \$2.25 to \$4.85. Hogs—Quiet at \$4.15 to \$5.75. Sheep—Steady at \$2.75 to \$4.35. Lambs—Strong at \$4.50 to \$6.25.

Grain and Livestock at Chicago.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, 96¢ to 99¢. Corn—No. 3, 44¢ to 45¢. Oats—No. 2, 39¢ to 40¢. Cattle—Steady; steers, \$3.00 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.25. Hogs—Weak at \$4.80 to \$5.00. Sheep—Steady at \$2.50 to \$5.25. Lambs—Steady at \$4.00 to \$5.75.

At New York.  
Cattle—Steady at \$4.30 to \$5.30. Hogs—Firm at \$5.50 to \$6.00. Sheep—Firm at \$2.75 to \$5.00. Lambs—Slow at \$5.50 to \$6.50.

East Buffalo Livestock.  
Cattle—Steady at \$3.75 to \$5.25. Hogs—Active at \$4.40 to \$5.80. Sheep—Steady, \$3.25 to \$4.75. Lambs—Steady at \$4.00 to \$5.15.

### Kushville Markets.

The following are the ruling prices in the Rushville market, corrected to date, Mar 18th, 1904:

### FEED AND GRAIN.

Wheat—95¢.  
Corn—40¢.  
Oats—40¢.  
Chop feed—\$1.00 per cwt.  
Timothy—\$1.50 to \$1.75.  
Clover seed—\$6.00.

### LIVE STOCK.

Hogs, on foot—\$5.25.  
Sheep, on foot—\$3.00.  
Spring lamb, on foot—\$5.00, to \$5.50.  
Beef cows, on foot—2.95 to 3.50.  
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We are authorized to announce the name of Harry D. Lakin as a candidate for City Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican city convention.

FOR CITY TREASURER.  
We are authorized to announce the name of Mart V. Spivey as a candidate for City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican city convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of T. E. Gregg as a candidate for city treasurer subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

### FOR CITY MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce the name of John T. Weaver as a candidate for city marshal, subject to the decision of the Republican city convention.

### FOR COUNTY OFFICERS

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.  
We are authorized to announce the name of Henry E. Giffin, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph E. Stevens, of Ripley township, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

FOR AUDITOR.  
We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph E. Stevens, of Ripley township, as a candidate for the office of Auditor of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Nominating Convention, to be hereafter held.

We are authorized to announce the name of Albert L. Winslow, as a candidate for Auditor of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We announce the name of George W. Looney, Jr., of Union township, as a candidate for Auditor of Rush county, for one term only, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

### FOR CLERK.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hershell E. Dabenspeck, of Union township, as a candidate for Clerk of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. A. Pacey, of Rushville township, as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention to be hereafter held.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. O. Alter, of Orange township, as a candidate for Clerk of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

### FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. King as a candidate for Sheriff of Rush county subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention to be held March 19th, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Morrison Beaver, of Noble township, as a candidate for County Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Roll Young, of Richland township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Clara L. Bebout, of Walker township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER

We are authorized to announce the name of John C. Blackledge, as a candidate for re-nomination for Treasurer of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be held March 19th, 1904.

### FOR COMMISSIONER, SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce the name of Charles H. Kelso, of Richland township, as a candidate for County Commissioner for the Southern district, subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be hereafter held.

We are authorized to announce the name of Omar Stevens, of Noble township, as a candidate for County Commissioner for the Southern district, subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be hereafter held.

We are authorized to announce the name of Allen Jackson, of Anderson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, for the Southern district, subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be hereafter held.

### FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of Ora W. Herkless as a candidate for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Frank Cat, of Ripley township, as a candidate for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

### FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. William S. Coleman, as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. William E. Barnum, of Walker township, as a candidate for coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

## WANT ADLETS

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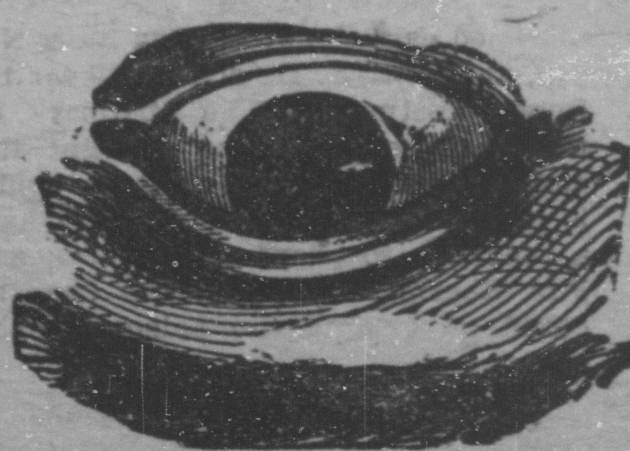
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### COUNTY NEWS.

#### Orange Township.

Our roads are in bad condition. All of the schools of this township are closed now.

There are many wild ducks passing northward now.

Rev. Sterrett will begin a series of meetings at Ebenezer, next Monday night.

Sunday school will be organized at Big Flatrock Sunday, April 3d.

Andrew Thompson will soon move to the farm of his son Ed., in Anderson township.

Sunday school was organized last Sunday Mrs. Clara Hungerford will be the new superintendent.

Mr. Geo. Hardesty will conduct the eighth year examination at the school building at Moscow on the 19th.

Beal Alter has moved to his farm, lately purchased, in Anderson township, and Leslie Hungerford has moved into the property vacated by him.

#### Mauzy.

The Greek ladies have 137 different styles of dressing the hair.

Boys, marry home talent, it will take you a long time to learn it all.

Boys, never let your wife wish she was a moth, so she could get into some new clothes.

The reason men get bald sooner than women, because they do not wear their hair as long.

A gentleman when walking with a lady takes the outside of the walk. But if you do it out here you will get in the street.

Jesse Reese furnished his residence with new furniture this week.

Mathematicians say a man who lives to be 70 years old, consumes \$100,000 worth of food in his life. Suppose he can't get it, how much will he consume?

Amisogist is a person who blames his neighbor because nature made him a fool.

Women are the most courageous people on the globe. She will even marry a man to reform him. Did you ever hear of a man marry a woman to reform her?

They say a philosopher is a man who lives nothing but himself. Then, if he should marry, would he still be a philosopher?

The annual election of officers for the Ben Davis Sunday school takes place at the church, next Sunday. Everybody is respectfully invited to attend.

The nitro-glycerin explosion at Waukegan was plainly heard and felt in this city, last Saturday.

Had you noticed that your hardest work was on the down-hill side of life.

Sant. Hinchman, Earl Hinchman, Paul Kousen, Jas. Gray, Ross Juks, Ed. Harlow, Don Stevens and Geo. Seaton were transacting business in New Orleans this week.

Albert Hudson, who has been visiting in Harrison, O., for several days, has returned with one of the finest horses on the road and also a full-blooded Jersey.

Mrs. Sante McKay, who has been quite sick for several days is convalescing.

Mrs. Darrell was visiting Mrs. Hudson this week.

The board of health want to call the attention of a few squitters, that sit on the south side of the house at 1st Sunday. It is called extinction. The first impression it

### STATE NEWS.

Indianapolis, March 18.—Arguments in the suit to enjoin the state board of education from signing the contract for arithmetics to be used in the Indiana schools for the next five years with D. C. Heath & Co., are on in Judge McMaster's court. Attorney-General Miller and Deputy Attorney-General Hadley represented the state board of education, while R. W. McBride appeared for Silver, Burdette & Co., who brought the suit. The successful bidders, D. C. Heath & Co., were represented by James Noel.

Against Silver, Burdette & Co.'s contention that the state board had ordered a revision of the company's text books and was bound by its acts to continue its contract for them, the state attorneys argue that the state board of education had no right to award the contract in the manner in which it intended in ordering the revision. The state board of education, Attorney-General Miller argued, is a creature of the legislature and has no power to make contracts other than as expressly given in the school book laws.

#### M'CULLOCH DENIES REPORT

Indiana Union Traction Not Negotiating for Terre Haute & Brazil Line.

Anderson, Ind., March 18.—George F. McCulloch, president of the Indiana Union Traction company, said: "So far as I know the Indiana Union Traction company and myself are concerned there is absolutely nothing in the reports that we are negotiating for the Terre Haute and Brazil electric railways and other electric interests. It is a mystery to me how the reports are circulated and my name connected therewith, and I can only reiterate that there is nothing in the report at this time, nor has there been recently."

It was suggested to Mr. McCulloch that perhaps his company might wish the Terre Haute and Brazil interurban lines to carry coal to the Indiana traction system. He said his company might desire several things, but that it was not after the Terre Haute and Brazil lines.

#### Met Death in Oil Tank.

Rensselaer, Ind., March 18.—R. M. Grimes, employed in the Jasper county oil field, while inspecting a large tank filled with crude oil, into which he descended by means of a ladder, was overcome by fumes of gas and his dead body was found floating in the oil. Grimes was a man of family.

#### Deadly Gas Explosion.

Elwood, Ind., March 18.—The home of Dennis Connell was wrecked by a gas explosion and Mrs. Connell was fatally injured. Her two children, aged thirteen and seven years, are also badly hurt. The explosion was caused by a leaking gas meter, which had recently been installed.

#### The Deadly Live Wire.

Sullivan, Ind., March 18.—Fred Cliver, aged twenty years, accidentally came into contact with a live wire in the Sunflower mine near here and was electrocuted. Falling slate in the Wilfred mine caught Elmer Delap, aged sixteen years, a greaser, and he was killed.

#### "Not Guilty," Says McDonald.

Bedford, Ind., March 18.—James McDonald was brought from Bloomington yesterday afternoon and arraigned in the circuit court on the charge of murdering Miss Sarah C. Shafer. He entered a plea of not guilty and was taken back to Bloomington half an hour later.

#### Paper Mill Wrecked.

Wabash, Ind., March 18.—One of the large purifiers in the Wabash paper mill exploded, the enormous steel shell being hurled through the roof of the building. No one was injured, but the damage to the mill is heavy and necessitates a shutdown.

#### Slot Machines Must Go.

Franklin, Ind., March 18.—Slot machines in Franklin must go. An order was issued by the city council at its last meeting that every machine in the city must be removed at once. The city has been overrun by the devices for the last two years.

#### Killed on Way to Church.

Greensburg, Ind., March 18.—Joseph D. Pleak, eighty-two years old, was struck and instantly killed by a Big Four train at Adams. He was on his way to church and did not see the approaching train as he stepped between the rails.

Princeton, Ind., March 18.—The jury in the case of Fred Benne, charged with taking part in the Evansville riots failed to agree and was discharged.

#### TERSE TELEGRAMS

The Duke of Cambridge, cousin of Queen Victoria, is dead.  
Fire destroyed \$250,000 worth of business property in San Angelo, Tex.  
Jesse Spalding, one of the most prominent capitalists of Chicago, is dead.  
Russia is making extensive additions to the fortifications along the Baltic sea.  
The Russian torpedo boat Skorri has been blown up by a mine at Port Arthur.  
Victoria, B. C., was shaken by the sharpest shock of earthquake felt for twenty years.  
President Roosevelt will not be present at the opening of the World's Fair on April 30.  
A Chinese general has told Aleksei that Russians will not be allowed to garrison Mukden.  
General Kuropatkin with direct movements of Russian army from his first headquarters at Liao-Yang.  
Sons of Ireland to the number of 50,000 marched the streets of New York Thursday to honor the memory of St. Patrick.  
Mr. Redmond urges the Irish voters in Great Britain at next election to put the question of home rule above everything else.  
One man was killed and four mortally injured in a premature explosion at the mining camp of R. N. Price near Middlesboro, Ky.

### COURT IN MOURNING

British Royalty Called to Lament Death of Duke of Cambridge.

London, March 18.—The Duke of Cambridge is dead. He was a cousin of Queen Victoria, and was born on March 26, 1819. The duke died peace-



DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE.

fully at Gloucester House, his Georgian residence, in Park Lane. He had been confined to his house for some weeks, but until compelled to take to his bed he was about with his accustomed activity, being as was his custom, a constant attendant at functions of a national or charitable character.

The death of the duke makes necessary the postponement or cancellation of all royal functions, as the court will go into mourning for several weeks, and the program for the whole of the London season will also have to be revised.

After the funeral service in Westminster Abbey the Duke of Cambridge will be buried next Tuesday near the remains of his wife in Kensal Green cemetery. The funeral will be an elaborate military ceremony.

#### Duggins Will Plead Insanity.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 18.—Jerry Duggins, the murderer of Mrs. Ramsey and her two children, was arraigned in the circuit court on charge of murder, to which he entered a plea of not guilty. His trial was set for Monday next. The defense will be insanity.

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# J. L. ASHWORTH

### The Daily Republican

RUSHVILLE, IND., MARCH 18, 1904

#### LOCAL BREVITIES

Dr. F. G. Hackleman expects to be able to be at his office tomorrow.

Fruit growers say that the ice which covered the trees recently did not harm the buds as many feared.

Up to noon today, 104 delegates and other persons attending the convention tomorrow had made arrangements to get their dinner at the Windsor.

"Mrs. Wiggs" and her all star troupe, City Opera House, March 25th, under the management of the Ladies of the Presbyterian church.

Wood chopping, fence building and the trimming of trees are two things that have occupied the attention of a large number of farmers during the last week.

New Castle Courier: Forty years ago yesterday Sam Arnold was paroled from Belle Isle rebel prison and he has had a very kindly feeling for St. Patrick ever since.

Connersville Examiner: The damage suit of Frank Havens vs Owen Carr et al., was brought up in court this morning and on motion of the plaintiff, the case was dismissed.

Greensburg people are trying to bring about the establishment of a hospital in that city. The rector of St. Mary's church is one of the leaders of the movement.

Alfred C. Pearsey in this issue announces himself as a candidate for city marshal to succeed himself. Mr. Pearsey is our present Marshal and has performed his duties in an entirely satisfactory manner.

The answer in the case of the City against the People's Gas company is about ready to be submitted to Judge Rupe. Nothing much can be done until the next term of court as there has been no special term arranged for.

George A. Wirt, of the Kingston neighborhood, has invented a new style rural mail box which has been approved by the government. The box differs from other boxes in that it has compartments for outgoing and incoming mail, also for currency.

What might have caused a fire this morning occurred at the C. H. & D. passenger station, had it not been discovered in time. The stove-pipe fell with a crash and as the stove was full of coal the blaze leaped about the room, filling it full of smoke and it was with difficulty kept from igniting papers, etc., which were hanging on the walls and scattered about the room. Agent Dale succeeded in scattering the papers and putting out the fire in the stove, so no damage was done.

The Christian church choir will give a recital of Oratorio Gault's "Holy City," at the church, Friday evening April 1st.

The weather continues cold and dreary, and the people that are waiting to "fix up the garden a little" are taking on a little disgust.

Mrs. Nannie Helm is making preparations to build two fine cottages on the rear of her lots on Third street. The cottages will front on Harrison street.

The Sanders murder trial at Shelbyville came to an end yesterday afternoon, but it was nearly six o'clock before Judge Morris finished his charge to the jury.

The members of the local lodge F. O. E., who attended the degree work at Anderson, in which one hundred and twenty-seven candidates were initiated, returned this morning.

Western Horseman: Did you notice how the young The Patchen Boys, 21.0% sold at the Lackey sale? Dick Wilson is eminently correct when he says, "If you want a sure money winner breed to The Patchen Boy."

The spring convocation of the Scottish Rite will be held at Indianapolis, next week. There are excursion rates, and a number from Rushville will attend. There are about 50 members in this city, and several intend to take the degree there next week.

Louis C. Lambert in addition to his offer of the other day to the stockholders of the Telephone Company makes some additional offers today, which we could not get in the paper, the principal one being to put up a good substantial fire-proof building.

The Shelbyville Republican, of yesterday issued a very fine special edition on the "Growth of Shelbyville," and is plainly the work of an enterprising newspaper man in an enterprising city. It contains some very fine half tones neatly and artistically arranged.

A. B. Flinn, who has just recently returned from the "Sunny South," brought a copy of the New Orleans Times Democrat, of last Sunday, with him, which he presented to the Republican, having bought it for that purpose, and we thank him for his kind consideration.

When a man playfully points a pistol or gun at you, knock him down; don't stop to inquire whether it is loaded or not, but knock. Don't be particular what you hit him with, only see that it is properly done. If a coroner's inquest is held, let it be over the other fellow—he won't be missed.—Ex.

Two young ladies became terror stricken on Main street this afternoon, and ran into the People's Bank for refuge, but discovered that the "mad dog" that was pursuing them was not mad, and was only trying to "hold his own" against the vicious attack of another dog, and was not in pursuit of them at all.

A letter to George Elliott at New Castle, from his father, W. H. Elliott in Porto Rico, comments upon the weather as follows: "The past few days the weather has been regarded as cool, yet the lowest thermometer has been in February was 66.2, and that on the 25th. The highest temperature was 83.4. How would zero-doomed people of the United States like a little weather ranging between 66 and 83 degrees?"

It is pleasing to the management of this paper, as a result of its efforts to please its readers, to hear the numerous complimentary remarks of the people of Rushville and vicinity which are coming in by mail and telephone. A large number of persons have called at this office to assure us that we are getting out a paper that pleases the people. The comments of newspapers in this section of the State have been exceedingly complimentary and encouraging.

Under the contract with the Wabash R. R. by which the C. H. & D. Co. run their trains solid into St. Louis, the C. H. & D. have the privilege of issuing special baggage checks, reading "To World's Fair Station, St. Louis, Mo." This insures the baggage going direct to the World's Fair Station, without going direct through the Union depot, where it is subject to possible delays, incident to the collection of thousands of trunks and to the extra expense of transfer. This is an advantage enjoyed by no other line from this territory, and will be a great convenience to patrons of the C. H. & D. Ry.

#### Will Serve Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will serve dinner in the Helm room on the east side of Main street, next Saturday. They will charge 25 cents.

#### Engraved Work.

Such as cards, stationary, wedding invitations, business cards, etc. may be ordered at the Republican office. A fine line of samples of the latest prevailing styles. Call and see them. Prices reasonable.

#### PERSONALS

—Geo. C. Wyatt went to Manila, this morning.

—Miss Lizzie Nieman is visiting relatives at Sunman.

—M. C. Burt returned to Morris-town this morning.

—Ed. Hill, of Carthage, is in the city on business, today.

—Donald Smith went to Shelbyville this morning for a short stay.

The candidates are a little nervous but are all sanguine of success.

—Guy Abercrombie went to Richmond this morning on business.

—Chas. F. Edgerton went to Richmond this morning on a business trip.

—Garrett Flemming, of Shelbyville, was in the city, last night visiting friends.

—C. B. Riley came home from Indianapolis at noon, having been there all week.

—A. B. Flinn and wife have returned from an extensive trip through the South.

—G. P. Holland, general passenger agent of the C. H. & D., was in the city today.

—Miss Daisy Nipp, of New Castle, who has been visiting here, has returned home.

—Mrs. Fred Winship returned this morning from Connersville, where she has been visiting.

—Curt Gosnell and A. B. Flinn were among the Indianapolis passengers this morning.

—R. F. Scudder and family left this morning for Hamilton, Ohio, where they will visit relatives.

James Geraghty is repapering his restaurant which adds much to the improvement of the place.

—Miss Gertrude McBride, of Knightstown, is visiting Miss Belva McBride, of W. First street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Bosley, of Milroy came up today to visit Mrs. Bosley's parents, C. B. Riley and wife.

—Mrs. Jos. L. Cowing left this morning for Findley, Ohio, where she was called by the sickness of her brother.

—Shelbyville Republican: Miss Louise Mauzy, of Rushville, is spending a few days in this city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred W. Kennedy.

—Miss Winifred Glore left this morning for Tuscola, Ill., where she has accepted a position as a trimmer in a large millinery establishment.

—Greenfield Democrat: Noah and S. B. Souders, of this city, were called to Rushville, Friday last, to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Edmondson.

—Miss Carrie Merrill will leave tomorrow for Bedford, Ind., where she has accepted a position as trimmer in the millinery department of a large dry-goods store.

A number of gypsies have arrived and are making the rounds begging and seeking to tell fortunes. They are asking that the citizens of Rushville to "give them something for luck."

—Miss Mary Moses will leave tomorrow for Connersville, where she has been selected to the position of teacher of English in the Connersville High School, and will begin work next Monday.

—John P. Huffman, of Greenfield, and formerly of this city, was in town last night and made a short business trip to Connersville this morning. He will probably return to Greenfield by way of Indianapolis, tonight.

—Greensburg Graphic: Mrs. Lizzie Goley and daughter, little Marie, and Miss Claudia Smith, of Milroy, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rader on South Broadway for the past two days, returned home on Thursday after a most enjoyable visit.

#### Opening.

Ladies Spring Suits Skirts and Wraps—Saturday March 19th.—If possible come in the morning. MAUZY & DENNING, Department Store.

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At the U. P. church, Sunday, Rev. McGarey will preach morning and evening at the usual hours. His subject for the morning service will be "The Story of Bethlehem;" in the evening he will preach on "Christ in the Storm." The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

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